

D127 FELIX BAUER

1930 PAVLICK, EPPERT

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SECRET

Dear Blackburn,

With reference to your letter, dated November 3, 1930, inquiries show that one Felix Bauer, who was believed to be of Austrian nationality, arrived in Shanghai in January 1929 and left here the following month. On first arriving, Bauer lived at No. 3A Dent Road, but later removed to No. 7 Kungping Road. According to a report received by the police at that time Bauer was living with a Russian woman, who made a practice of visiting Moscow frequently and was trading in medicines on behalf of German firms.

I forward herewith for your information copies of detective reports dated March 22, 1929, and November 15, 1930 regarding Bauer.

Yours sincerely,

A.D. Blackburn, Esq.,
H.M.S. Consulate-General,
Shanghai.

November 15, 30.

Felix Bauer.

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J.H.G.

Copy of Reported dated March 22, 1929.

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Bauer was a war prisoner in Siberia, is about 40 years of age, spent several years in Kamchatka and is stated to have been engaged in gold digging.

He lives with a Russian woman with whom he has been cohabiting for the past nine years.

They came to Shanghai from Vladivostock, from which place his paramour visited Moscow on several occasions where her relatives are alleged to be residing.

Bauer states he is representing certain German firms trading in medicines. He also asserts that the Bolsheviks confiscated \$16,000 of his money and that this was the reason for his having left Vladivostock.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

REPORT

Special Branch No. 2. Station,

Date November 15, 1930.

Subject (in full) Felix Bauer.

Made by D.P.S. Moore.

Forwarded by

D. I. Robertson

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W. B. Moore
D. P. S.

D. C. (C. & S. Branches)

Reg. Better please in accordance with draft attached.

J. H. G.

15: 11: 30.

HAI MUNICIPAL POLICE. **HEADQUARTERS.**

File No.

Reference Slip from Deputy Commissioner (Crime & Special Branches.)

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Personal Assistant (C. & S.B.)	Forward data ✓
Supt. (Special Branch)	Investigate and report ✓
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S. 2	Submit recommendations
S. 3	For further report
S. 4	For opinion
S. 5	Reply to writer direct
C. 1	See me in room
C. 2	Attach file
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SECRET

H.B.A. Consulate General,
Shanghai,
November 3rd 1930.

My dear Aiers,

India inquires whether we have any record of the arrival in Shanghai from Calcutta in December 1929 and the departure for Moscow in February 1930 of one **FELIX BAUER**. The alleged object of Bauer's visit to Shanghai was to inquire on behalf of the Soviet Government about the timber trade prospects in China and to meet his wife who was awaiting him here.

I should be very grateful for any light you can throw on this matter.

Yours sincerely,

A. D. Blackman

R. C. Aiers, Esq.,

Shanghai Municipal Police,
Shanghai.

\$2, For attention please.

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7-11-30

(C.I.D.) Office Notes

A. R. C. I.

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John H. Cook

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Any file?
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No file

Further investigations show that
Felix Bauer - the person forming the subject
of the present report is entirely a different person
from the individual - Felix Baude - of
the attached report.

John H. Cook

April 16
1929

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